Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 13 May 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 14 May 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 13 May 2021 at 03:22 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for the bright showery conditions with relatively light winds. Lower for shower and cloud detail each day.

Headline for Thursday 13 May 2021: Overcast start in the east with hill fog otherwise bright and mainly dry, with scattered light showers developing. Mostly light winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 13 May 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG					
Fog	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
10%	<05%	20%	20%	20%	10%

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Weather: Rather cloudy overnight and early in the morning with the odd shower, wintry on the highest summits. Becoming dry and brightening up in the morning. While most areas stay dry in the afternoon with some sunny intervals, there will be one or two scattered, brief light showers in the afternoon and early evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 30% in east at first with cloud, at 500-800m in the east, especially the Trossachs, but 80% in west, and rising to 90% from mid morning. Falling 70% in east in the evening.

Visibility: Mostly good away from the cloud which will be around 500-800m in the Trossachs until mid morning and returning from mid evening, but otherwise generally above the tops

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	6/8 E	7/9 NE	12/16 E	10/15 NE	12/17 NE	11/17 NE	3/6 E
900	6/9 E	6/9 E	8/12 E	9/13 NE	9/14 NE	11/16 E	6/9 E
600	8/10 NE	10/13 NE	10/14 NE	10/14 NE	13/18 NE	14/19 NE	7/11 NE
300	3/5 N	7/10 NE	9/12 NE	8/13 N	11/18 NE	9/15 NE	5/8 N
Glen	4/13 NE	8/12 NE	9/14 E	6/11 NE	8/15 NE	9/19 NE	6/14 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
1300	1/-2	1/-3	2/-2	2/-1	3/-2	2/-2	1/-0
900	3/0	4/2	6/3	6/4	5/2	4/0	3/1
600	5/2	6/3	7/5	8/6	7/3	6/2	5/3
300	6/6	8/6	10/9	11/9	10/7	8/6	7/6
Glen	8/7	11/10	13/12	14/12	12/10	10/8	9/7
Freezing Level*	1300m	1300m	1400m	1500m	1500m	1500m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing extra.

Forecast for Friday 14 May 2021
Weather: A rather cloudy but dry morning, the cloud lifting and breaking to allow more in the way of sunshine in the afternoon. Still the chance of the odd light shower but most staying dry.

Maximum wind: Easterly 10-15mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 40% in morning rising to 90% in afternoon.

Visibility: Good away from cloud, which will be 500-800m at first in east lifting above the tops by afternoon and become more broken.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 7 Celsius rising to Plus 14 in the afternoon.
At 800m: Plus 3 Celsius rising to Plus 6 in the afternoon.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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